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#### **TIM WOODHOUSE**

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Tim Woodhouse passed away after a long illness in August in Michigan. Tim was the youngest sailor ever to win the DN North American championship in 1970 at the age of 16. His other notable accomplishments include being the highest scoring junior in the DN North Americans from 1969-71, winning it in 1973 in Sodus Bay, New York, in 1974 in Hamilton Harbor, Canada, and placing third in 1977. 1969, 1970, and 1971. He won the DN World Championship in Zergrze, Poland in 1974, was third in 1975 in Saginaw, Michigan, and fourth in 1981 in Hamilton Bay, Ontario. His record on the soft water was just as impressive with race wins at the New York Yacht Club Race Week, Canada's Cup, Block Island Race Week, and his favorite, the Mackinac Races, along with many more.



# COMMODORE'S MESSAGE

#### KENT BAKER US5219 TOLEDO, OHIO, USA

his is where your Commodore makes a comment such as "My oh my where has the summer gone"? And then talks of

sharpening runners and dusting off the hull and all of that. But there I was just a few weeks ago, self absorbed in multiple "soft water" projects, and unaware of the time flying by.

Of course, one needs to find distractions for the summer. For most - its soft water sailing. Others restore and play with old cars or motorcycles. Some even fly airplanes or gliders. And just a few hardcore folks keep it going with landsailing.

#### IF YOU HAVE A PASSION FOR ICEBOATING IN THE WINTER, YOU MUST SUSTAIN THAT FOCUS AND DEDICATION ON SOMETHING IN THE OFF-SEASON OR THE SHOCK OF THE SEASONS END MIGHT OVERTAKE YOU LIKE A COLD SPRING SHOWER.

So this past spring I dove back into the soft-water hobby. The 1959 cruis-along was promptly thrown in the water in April, and the cover came off the new (to us) Tartan 37 "Skybird" to begin assessing what she would need before sailing this summer. And of course that couldn't be enough, could it? No. An opportunity to own a well-maintained pre-war cruiser came forth. I wasn't too serious about it, but once Erica gazed upon the beautifully varnished cabinetry in the interior, you might say it was all over with...

So the phone rings. Bill Cutting, Rear Commodore of the Central Lakes Region has finally taken a break from sailing with his family on their new Catalina 27 to talk to me about this coming years North American Championship.

Oh. Now I am saying "where did the summer go"?

About 10 years ago I was introduced to a sport and a group of people that would make me into a different winter person. No longer do I spend my winter months impatient for the ice to melt away. Quite the opposite. I spend those short days scheming on how and where I am going to get to the closest ice, with the best sailors, to spend all day chasing each other around a diamond-shaped course. Pavlov's dogs were probably smarter, but they didn't have that much fun. Ugh. Now I am thinking about sharpening runners...

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Good news is they are all put away clean and greased and probably in perfect shape for early season warm ice (not ultra sharp, but nick-free). Now my issue is that I have a couple beautiful pieces of spruce still awaiting to be cut, shaped, and glued into one of the most awesome machines made on the planet. And to think, I squandered the summer working on silly soft-water boats!

I am happy to report that Bill is excited to get things underway for a great regatta. The Central Region, and in particular the Grand Traverse Region never disappoints when they can host an event. We will be looking for local teams of scouts and Race Committee members, who will be of assistance should mother nature grace their back yards with the mythical "Hollywood Ice". And of course we will be assembling our PRO, and traveling officials as well. If you have an interest in contributing to the DN class in the form of Race Committee help, please contact Bill Cutting, myself, or your regional Rear Commodore. Sadly, we don't have the budget to take all the help we can get, but we would love to make sure we have the best team we can put together.

So this is your heads up. Soft water season has a full month left! Who am I kidding? Winterize your fleet NOW and focus on what really matters!! -Kent Baker US5219 Commodore North American IDNIYRA



## REGATTA DATES WEB SITES & TELEPHONE HOT LINE NUMBERS

Regatta conditions change FAST! ep up to date by calling the hot lines and checking the web sites.

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I've been lucky enough to race my DN in Europe over the last few winters and people often ask the same few questions about it. Questions like "How do you get the boat over there? How much does it cost? What do you do once you get there? Who do you travel with? Is it worth the hassle?"

Well, I would not have made the trip three times now (with a fourth in the plan for this winter) if it wasn't any fun. In fact it's a great time!

ANY ICEBOATING TRIP IS AN ADVENTURE AND WHEN A TRANSATLANTIC PLANE RIDE IS ADDED INTO THE MIX, THINGS ONLY GET MORE INTERESTING.... HERE IS HOW WE'VE GONE ABOUT IT THE LAST FEW YEARS- IT'S EASIER THAN YOU MIGHT THINK

> by: James "T" Thieler US5224

Oliver Moore US5469 stones his runners on the Baltic Sea in Haapsalu, Estonia.

Right, two complete DNs on the SmartCart at the airport in Frankfurt, Germany

### SHOW UP EARLY AND SMILE A LOT. BETTER YET, GO A DAY OR SO AHEAD OF TIME AND GIVE THEM A HEADS UP ON THE PILE OF GEAR YOU'LL BE BRINGING THEM.

I have to start by mentioning the incredible generosity of the IDNIYRA European Commodore Joerg Bohn. He has been the best host imaginable on our last few trips and although his plate is beyond full just running the regatta he still makes time to have us silly Americans tag along. Torsten Siems (aka "The Candyman") is another key player. He has let us use his shop to re-assemble boats and hang out year after year. Many thanks Joerg and Torsten. Hope to see you both soon!

So here is the lowdown on how to get a boat over there:

• Book a flight on Lufthansa into Frankfurt. Direct. No connections. Connections are trouble. Make sure the plane is a 747 or A380, it must have a huge cargo hold. Make sure it's a slow travel day because you will be making a bit of a scene at the airport.

• Tell the airline you will be showing up with an "ice-windsurfer." Let's repeat that: "ICE-WIND-SURFER.." Say it with me now: "ICE-WINDSURFER". Why do we say this? Because the airline has a box they can check for extra gear and sporting equipment and "windsurfer" is a standard item.

#### DO NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, USE THE WORD "BOAT".

That raises a red flag. I even went so far as to set the boat up in the driveway and take a photo of a friend standing on the boat and leaning on the mast as you would on a windsurfer. Keep a copy with you at the airport just to demonstrate.

• The set rate for a windsurfer was about \$350 each way and includes a board (your hull), a mast (try to convince them it's only 12 feet long), a boom (your plank, all wrapped up), a bag of sails (your bag of sails- you can also put the battens inside the mast and wrap the sail around the mast), and a bag of extra gear (your duffle full of helmet, spikes, suit, etc. OR a box of runners). I traveled with a backpack full of street clothes, duffle full of sailing gear, hull, plank, 3 sails, boom (in sail bag), mast, and two Pelican cases full of runners. I kid you not, this will ALL balance on a SmartCart at the airport. You will get amused looks from people.

• Show up early and smile a lot. Better yet, go a day or so ahead of time and give them a headsup on the pile of gear you'll be bringing them. The Lufthansa check-in staff in Boston thought this was great. They even got the person in charge of loading the plane to come in and check out the pile and he thought it was cool. The key is no surprises!

- Prepare yourself to watch every cool bit of iceboat gear you own disappear down the baggage conveyor. Cross your fingers and hope for the best!
- Pick it all up at the special baggage claim in Frankfurt and get a cup of coffee and a pastry to celebrate.

Yes, it's just that simple! But first you'll need to prep your boat for the trip, so let's back up a bit Before you leave the house spend an afternoon getting packed.

One Golden Rule- Keep every piece of baggage under 70 lbs. This is a magic number. Make sure every piece weighs a few pounds less than this!!! Get two light 2X3's from Home Depot (or Menard's for you Midwest types), cut them to about 5 feet and tape these to your mast or to the plank. Or put them in your sail bag. Along with the short lengths of line these are going to be roof racks once you get over there.

Start by rolling your sails tight and putting them in the bag. Throw the boom in there too.

Now to your hull; remove the steering chock, tiller post, steering arm, tiller, and blocks if they are attached to the deck of the hull. Tape them together and put them in the cockpit. Throw in a few lengths of small line, four or five feet long, and maybe six or seven pieces. Throw in some bungee cords, a few rolls of duct tape, and electrical tape. Put the best cover you have on it and add "FRAGILE" and "DO NOT CRUSH" stickers all over it. Put it on there in German too. The phrase is "PLEASE BE CAREFUL" which translates as "Bitte seien Sie vorsichtig". Plaster your address and contact info all over it.

Before you cover up your plank take your heaviest two runners and tape them to the bottom, all bubble wrapped of course. This will get them out of your boxes and keep them under the magic 70 pound max weight. Also be sure to protect your chocks. Cut out some pieces of wood the same thickness as a runner body and about 1/2" larger than the chock all the way around, drill a hole in it, and use the chock bolt to hold it in place for travel. This will keep the chocks from getting dinged if the plank gets dropped. Cover the whole thing and put all the stickers on it.





Above: Drying out wet sails after Estonia in Torsten's shop.

Below: DN Eastern Lakes Commodore Eben Whitcomb III US4775 greets German DN coach Christoph Schmidt in Haapsalu, Estonia.



OK, runners. Most people travel with their runners in wheeled Pelican boxes (Pelican Storm iM3100-Ron Sherry sells them via his website). DO NOT RE-FER TO THEM AS "GUN CASES" AT THE AIRPORT. You don't need the trip to be THAT interesting.. Anyway these are great as they do the job perfectly and so many people use them that stacking and stowing in the van or car or trailer is really easy. Shuffle your stuff around until the cases are all under max weight (I put at least one snow plate in my checked gear bag) and sticker them up. Print a few photos of an iceboat cruising along with the runner plainly visible. Circle the runners in the pic and throw that in the box so when prying eyes open the box they will be able to see what these weird looking carbon and steel things are.

Make sure your name and address and contact info are plastered all over everything! Now get some sleep and get to the airport early.

#### **IN FRANKFURT:**

OK, we made it. Collect all the stuff, pile it up on SmartCarts, have that cup of coffee, and send one of your group to get the rental car (Europecar is a good company). Make sure they know you need roof racks on whatever car you rent. Head for the pickup section of the airport and collect your gang. Break out the 2X3's and rope and set up your roof racks, load everything up and hit the Autobahn!

WHAT NOW? Let's assume you've checked in with Joerg and he and Torsten haven't gotten completely fed up with all of us yet. Head for his home base in Bad Zwischenahn and link up. Re-assemble boats, get the convoy together, and head for the ice wherever it may be!

It'll be an adventure, guaranteed. We've had some great racing, seen some great sights, and made some great friends! Don't put it on your bucket list, just buy a ticket and do it! Make this The Year!

by James "T." Thieler US5224

## **ELECTION & PROPOSAL RESULTS**

### RESULTS OF THE ELECTION OF THE 2016 IDNIYRA GOVERNING GROUP.

Please welcome aboard the newest member of the 2016 IDNIYRA Governing Group, Past Commodore Robert Schumacher.

**Commodore Kent Baker** US5219 65 Yes - 0 No

Vice Commodore Eric Anderson US5193 64 Yes - 0 No - 1 Write-in Mike Bloom

Secretary Geoff Sobering US5156 65 Yes - 0 No

**Treasurer Wes Wilcox** US5414 65 Yes - 0 No

**Past Commodore Robert Schumacher** US4032 63 Yes - 0 No - 1 Write-in Lou Lonnecke

## TECHNICAL PROPOSALS

2. PROPOSAL TO CHANGE SAIL MEASUREMENT SAIL SPECIFICATIONS:

(1) Clean up some language in the sail specs and interpretations

(2) Define measurement points at tack and clew

(3) Clarify procedures to measure sail girth at midpoint and quarter points.

**Note: There are no substantive changes** Proposal to change the Interpretations Of The Official

Specifications By TheTechnical Committee **G. SAIL** Please refer to Runner Tracks, December 2014 pages 14-16 for full text of changes. runnertracks.org

The proposal passed with 63 Yes - 1 No



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## **ELECTION & PROPOSAL RESULTS**

### 3. PROPOSAL TO ALLOW PARA-ARAMID FABRIC (KEVLAR) IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE TILLER.

Amend the Interpretation General dated 11/23/87: "Material – Kevlar cloth may not be used in DN constructions with the exception of the tiller,

reference Spec A22 "

Amend the last sentence in Spec. A22 to specify that para-aramid fabric is allowed in the construction of the tiller: " Material is optional and may include para-aramid fabric."

The proposal passed with 50 Yes - 15 No

#### 4. PROPOSAL TO ADD SPEC H.13.A. TO SPECIFY THAT ALL STAYS CONNECT TO THE MAST HOUND AT A COMMON POINT.

New H.13.a. "All stays shall connect to a common component (which may consist of one or more sub-components) which attaches to the mast hound at a single point."

The proposal passed with 62 Yes - 2 No

## BY LAWS PROPOSALS

#### 5. START THE NORTH AMERICANS ON MONDAY WHEN NOT HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE GOLD CUP

#### B) North American Championship Regatta Add the following to : 2) Dates

**b)** When not held in conjunction with the Gold Cup, the regatta is held during a specific week, beginning on a Monday and ending on Friday, with Saturday as a reserve day. If 3 races in all fleets have not been completed by sundown on Friday, racing shall be continued until sundown on Saturday. The specific week shall be selected by the Governing Committee and the host Rear Commodore. If the regatta is moved, the Governing Committee may restart the regatta. The regatta is cancelled if the minimum number of races has not been completed by sunset on Saturday, or in view of the

weather and/or ice conditions the regatta is abandoned by the Race Committee. On the final day, every effort should be made to complete all the originally scheduled races.

#### The proposal passed with 54 Yes - 9 No

#### 6. MODIFY SECTION 5 TO ALLOW 14 RACES WHEN THE NORTH AMERICANS ARE A STAND ALONE EVENT

#### Add the following to 5) DN Race System

There shall be seven races scheduled for each fleet and sailed alternately for the Gold Cup and for the North Americans when held in conjunction with the Gold Cup. When not held in conjunction with the Gold Cup, there shall be fourteen races scheduled. Cancellation of races in one fleet shall not affect the races in another fleet

#### Add the following to

#### 5) DN Race System d) Throwouts

After 5 races are completed, the points for each yachts poorest race (including DNS, DNF and DSQ) will be eliminated from the scoring After 12 races are completed, the points for each yachts second poorest race (including DNS, DNF and DSQ) will be eliminated from the scoring, with the exception that, following a hearing, the protest committee may, at its discretion, award a score of DNE to a disqualified yacht that has been found to have dangerously violated NIA Rules Part IV, Sailing Rules, and this race shall not be eliminated from the scoring. Then nextworse score shall be eliminated.

The proposal passed with 50 Yes - 14 No

#### 7. CHANGE THE SECTION OF THE BY LAWS THAT PERTAINS TO RACING RULES FOR MORE FLEXI-BIILITY

Add the following to Racing RulesK) The IDNIYRA governing committee may further modify the racing rules. Any modifications must be published in the Sailing Instructions and course diagram if applicable

The proposal passed with 56 Yes - 9 No

# REDRESS & NIA RULES

WARREN NETHERCOTE IS THE IDNIYRA CANADIAN REAR COMMODORE. HE WAS CHIEF JUDGE AT THE 2015 IDNIYRA GOLD CUP AND WHEN THE WATER GETS SOFT HE IS AN ISAF INTERNATIONAL JUDGE AND A MEMBER OF THE SAIL CANADA RACING RULES APPEALS COMMITTEE.

n race one of the 2015 Gold Cup three DNs 'protested the race committee'. The protest committee heard the protests and made an award of points to the protesting boats to redress the improper action of the race committee. After the event there was some discussion of redress in the DN Bulletin Board. This article revisits and expands upon that discussion.

Many, if not most ice-boaters are also soft-water sailors, so starting with soft-water redress requirements will help the discussion. Racing Rule of Sailing 62.1 requires that a request to consider redress "based on a claim or a possibility that a boat's score in a race or series has been or may be, through no fault of her own, made significantly worse by (a) an improper action of omission of the race committee...." Racing Rule of Sailing (RRS) 64.2 addresses redress awards when a boat is found to be entitled to redress, first requiring that the protest committee "make as fair an arrangement as possible for all boats affected, whether or not they asked for redress. This may be to adjust the scoring ..., to abandon the race, to let the results stand, or to make some other arrangement." The National Iceboat Authority (NIA) rules are guite different, and more restrictive with respect to redress



First, NIA Rule V.A.1.b.2 allows 'protesting the Race Committee,' a concept that is specifically disallowed in the ISAF Case 55 for the RRS, on the basis that the Race Committee cannot be disqualified. This difference is more semantic than real.

Second, the NIA Rules do not include a 'through no fault of her own test' that is present in the RRS.

Third, NIA default rules are more restrictive than the RRS in the award of redress. NIA rule V.B.3 says "If the Race Committee is found to have infringed a Racing Rule and *a yachts' chances to win a prize* were prejudiced as a result of the infringement, the Judges may order the race resailed or award the prejudiced yacht in accordance with the alternative provided in any special sailing instructions (Ref. Appendix V.B.5). It would appear that few sailing instructions make any special provisions, so judges faced with a protest against the race committee generally must address three questions:

1. Did the Race Committee infringe a Racing Rule?

2. If the Race Committee infringed a Racing Rule, were the yacht's chances to win a prize prejudiced? Note well that phrase in italics: NIA rules do not envision award of redress to a yacht with no chance of winning a prize. Unlike soft-water sailing, it is not enough for the protestor's result(s) to have been made significantly worse.

3. If the first two questions are satisfied, the judges must decide whether to resail the race or say 'yes you were prejudiced, but so sorry, the results of the race will stand.' There is no explicit requirement in the NIA Rules that the judges "make as fair an arrangement possible for all boats affected" although it is unlikely that any competent judge would fail to do so. NIA Rules Appendix V.B.5 offers Race Committee an opportunity to broaden the default redress award options by recommending "that the rules of the race organizers should provide for an alternative to resailing the race, such as (but not limited to) (1) awarding the prejudiced yacht a finish position equal to her worst race in the series, (2) award her a finish equal to the average of her other finishes in the other races of the series." Few race organizers take advantage of this opportunity, but the organizers of the 2015 Gold Cup did, including a sailing instruction: "In accordance with NIA Rules V.B.3 and Appendix V.B.5, the Judges may award a prejudiced yacht scoring points in a race rather than ordering a resail." This sailing instruction took advantage of the 'but not limited to' proviso of NIA Rule Appendix V.B.5 to provide further options for the judges, options that they used in the Gold Cup. The options proved useful.

In race one of the 2015 the Race Officer did not notice that the 'sticker checker' had not completed dealing with three yachts at one end of the line, and so the race was started when these three yachts were still on their parking brakes. Immediately after the rest of the fleet started, the three Yachts released their parking brakes and set off in pursuit of the fleet, and after finishing they protested the Race Committee. In their presentations at the protest hearing, the three competitors were firm in their belief that they did not want the race resailed, since 47 other yachts had had a good race.

The judges found that the Race Committee had broken a Racing Rule that had prejudiced the results of the three boats.

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1. 'Tough luck.' Yes you were prejudiced, but we will let the results stand

2. 'Average Points.' Yes you were prejudiced and we will award points for this race based on the average of all other races in the series. This is an easy award to understand, but no one knows the final points for these boats in this race until the series is over.

3. 'Average Points for all other races to date.' This award fixes the award so that the points are known to other competitors as the series progresses.

The judges chose an equivalent of option 3, by awarding points equal to the points for race 2, but not worse than the yachts' results for race 1. This desire to avoid ambiguity had an unintended consequence, when the scorer discovered that the IDNIYRA scoring program could not digest this solution. After every race entry thereafter she had to manually correct the scores for these three yachts.

Was the chosen solution the 'right' one? In a post-mortem discussion on the IDNIYRA Bulletin Board there was general agreement that the yachts had been prejudiced, but there was a range of opinions on the suitability of the award. Such differences of opinion are common in soft-water sailing too. Some classes try to address variations in redress awards by providing written advice to judges and offering a list of preferred redress awards. Perhaps the IDNIYRA might consider doing the same, but at the same time ensuring that the class' scoring program is capable of processing the recommended options.

By Warren Nethercote KC3786





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#### IDNIYRA-EUROPE SOCIETY E.V. MINUTES AND DECISIONS OF NATIONAL SECRETARIES

IDNIYRA-Europe International DN Ice Yacht Racing Association Europe IDNIYRA-Europe Society e.V. Minutes and Decisions of National Secretaries Stockholm, Sweden, 17 to 19 April 2015

#### Topic 1 Ascertainment of a Quorum

It was confirmed that the invitation to the Annual meeting was issued in time and a quorum was present. Attendance list of the general meeting was collected by the Treasurer.

| Present: IDNIYRA Europe Executive Board |                      | <u>utive Board</u>   |
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|   | Commodore            | Joerg Bohn           |
|   | Vice Commodore       | Attila Pataki        |
|   | Treasurer            | Christian Seegers    |
|   | Secretary            | Chris Williams       |
|   | Webmaster            | Dietmar Gottke       |
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|   | Denmark              | Daniel Hansen        |
|   | Germany              | Bernd Zeiger         |
|   | Hungary              | Attila Pataki        |
|   | Netherlands          | Hennie van den Brink |
|   | Poland               | Maciej Brosz         |
|   | United Kingdom       | Chris Williams       |
|   | United States        | Deb Whitehorse       |
| <u>Proxy votes</u>                      |                      |                      |
|   | Insurance Manager    | represented by       |

| Insurance Manager        | represented by Dietmar Gottke    |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Junior Programme Manager | represented by Hans Adolfsson    |
| Belarus                  | represented by Joerg Bohn        |
| Czech Republic           | represented by Roland Travnicek  |
| Estonia                  | represented by Maciej Brosz      |
| Finland                  | represented by Patrik Stenberg   |
| Latvia                   | represented by Attila Pataki     |
| Lithuania                | represented by Christian Seegers |
| Norway                   | represented by Patrik Stenberg   |
| Russia                   | represented by Joerg Bohn        |
| Sweden                   | represented by Oscar Wersall     |
| Switzerland              | represented by Chris Williams    |

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Apologies were received from: Insurance Manager, Junior Programme Manager, Belarus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, Latvia, Lithuania, Norway, Russia, Sweden and Switzerland.

#### Topic 2 Opening remarks and Review of the 2014/2015 Season

The Commodore said: First of all I wish to thank our hosts for this year's Secretaries meeting, especially Tomas Lindgren, Patrick Stenberg and Oscar Wersall for the perfect organization!

Thanks to all Nations participating and all sailors contributing their input towards the meeting in time and format.

The season 2014/2015 was another challenging one. First of all, running the European Championship at the beginning of March didn't work out for the second year running. It turned out that at the moment the decision had to be made, just one location remained. Finland had weather too warm for the snowice there was, and Sweden either no wind or no hotel capacity at another spot, because of a big car race. Poland and Lithuania were just a little too warm to be considered as primary sites. One week ahead and one week after the championship week there were excellent conditions in Sweden as well as in Finland again! One conclusion already now is to move the event well forward, due to the possible change in global weather.

Regarding the European Championship mistakes were made by me. I came to the conclusion that the Commodore should not have any personal influence on the official procedures in place with protests and appeals. Since Race 5 was not protested at all and nobody complained it should not have been taken out. Only after the outcome of a protest hearing did some people start complaining about Race 5. The result of a protest hearing cannot suddenly lead to a request to take a race out. If someone is not satisfied with a result of a protest hearing he or she can appeal to the EIA. My idea to accept the decisions made by the vote of just some National Secretaries present at a meeting called in the heat of the moment was the wrong one, and it damages trust in the PRC and/or the NIA rules already in place. I would like to apologise to all participants for this incorrect decision made under the pressure of the moment. The responsibility is mine as long as I am in office. In the past weeks I came to the conclusion that my time as European Commodore is coming to an end.

At this point I think we have to look forward as to ways in which we may improve our existing structure and rebuild trust in our PRC. I am certain we'll be leaving here with new ideas to work on over the summer. I would like to thank all Board members, all National Secretaries and all volunteer ice scouts for their great work for our class!

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<u>Austria</u> We had normal ice conditions only on small lakes in Carinthia and at Lake Lipno in CZ. Due to snow covered ice and calm winds at these sites the possibility for regular races was reduced. Lake Neusiedl had only for three days regular iceconditions. Because of theseis circumstances we were able to carry out only one regatta at Lake Lipno at the end of the season. On the other hand the Austrian participants at the Europeans showed positive results. We would like to stress the 6th place in the silver fleet from Phillip Hribar and the first place from Peter Ullmann in the bronze fleet.

Denmark No sailable ice in Denmark.



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<u>Estonia</u> The season started for some sailors in December when several travelled to Latvia. The first regatta was in Riga on Lake Alukse. First official ranking regatta sailed on 10th January on Lake Vortsjaiv. Snow intervened and an ice search found Topu Bay (20 km from Haapsalu) for a one day regatta with 5 Polish sailors. Next good sailing ice on bay between Muhu and Saaremaa ("Vaike Vain") – 4 ranking regattas sailed there before Europeans. Biggest event 3-day regatta Estonian Championships with 43 DNs with sailors from Estonia, Finland, Sweden, Poland and Hungary.

<u>Finland</u> The season started as usual in Week 46 with Johnny Kohler and All Saints Regatta. Three days of close sailing in good conditions with 29 sailors from 6 countries, some with own boats and others borrowed from Finnish friends. In 2015 Week 46 All Saints Regatta will celebrate its 30th Anniversary. Overall 6 regattas were scheduled and only one cancelled due to heavy wind and snow. The season ended with the Sunny Ranking in Tampere at the end of March. A very welcome return after almost 20 years as a non-active DN area and now 2 new DN sailors actively taking part in national regattas. EC had an all-time low of 4 Finnish DNs, an issue the Finnish DN Association noted and will work to correct. The efforts to increase DN numbers continues and attendance at National regattas increased by 26%. Two "Try DN Sailing-test" days for invited summer sailors generated much interest (even from Australia and New Zealand!) Three summer sailors were invited and coached to take part in Finnish DN championships with borrowed equipment. This has been shown to be a good way of recruiting new DN sailors. We hope to have a Junior DN and Ice Optimist team at their World Championships in the near future.

<u>Germany</u> Very poor DN sailing seas due to no safe ice. Eight sailors trained in Sweden over New Year. Eight DNs sailed on thin (8 cm!) ice on Lake Altmuhlsee in late February. Three Germans in Worlds and 12 at the Europeans. German Fleet numbers remain constant.

<u>Hungary</u> In Hungary the 2014-15 season was a little bit longer than in the earlier years. We had Velence lake as the only spot for ice sailing. It was three weeks in January with sailable ice. In this period we had ices ailing friends from Holland, Czech Republic, Germany, Austria and Poland visiting us and having a lot of fun. Unfortunately the Hungarian Championship could not be organized, because the night before the event we had heavy rain and notwithstanding the good ice we cancelled the event, because there was 5 or more cm water cover on the ice surface and therefore unsafe racing conditions.

In the middle of January we had participated in the event "Choose your winter sport" in Budapest on the artificial ice skate pool. It was a great success and hundreds of kids tried the DN and Ice Opi. Unfortunately we had not enough room to show them real movement..

This year only one sailor (Peter Hamrak) participated in EC.

<u>The Netherlands</u> Very warm winter with no ice. Many of our DNs sailed in Europe and USA. The Board has been very busy with the organisation of the European Championships.

<u>Poland</u> The Polish season started in early December and ended one week before the Europeans in March. However the number of sailing days was limited by the weather and many sailors did not participate in competitions. There were three weekends when regattas took place and we had lots of guests from Germany,

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Netherlands, Hungary and Czech Republic. In International regattas Polish sailors took the highest positions. WC and EC were dominated by Poles: WC 1st Karol Jablonski, 2nd Michal Burczynski, 3rd Robert Graczyk. EC 1st Karol Jablonski, 2nd Michal Burczynski, 3rd Lukasz Zakazowski, a very good result. The complete Polish Fleet is now 174 and includes 78 Seniors, 21 Juniors, 8 Younger Juniors (younglings) and 14 Ice Optimists.

<u>Sweden</u> Season started on Daasen December 13/14 with 9 sailors to complete SM2014, won by Eddie Klemets S812 with Patrik Stenberg S726 second and Bengt Sjoberg S609 third. Vaiko Voorema training camp for 12 sailors on 8 and 9 January at Korsika on the Grand Lake. Very good advice and races on wet snow ice. Good theory briefing in the evening. First ranking regatta January 10/11 Stockholm Cup. 2nd and 3rd ranking regattas cancelled due to weather conditions.

SM 2015 at Hudiksvall Bay February 14 to 15 with 29 sailors and good conditions. Won by Tomas Lindgren S81, 2nd Frederik Lonegren S8 and 3rd Rickard Larssen S807. Saturday 14th 5 races on 2 km course. Sunday 15th several races in challenging conditions and uneven ice on 3 km course.

Stockholm Isjakatklub became club champions, winning team included Oscar Wersall, Frederik Lonegren and Rickard Larsson.

<u>UK</u> No sailable ice but K11 and K13 travelled and competed in Europe. K13 now in A Fleet.

<u>North America</u> Western Minnesota iceboaters first to sail again (16th November). Wisconsin lakes also froze early, allowing over 6 weeks of excellent DN sailing. Western Challenge sailed in Madison with 80 DNs and Ice Optimists from NA, Canada, Germany, the Netherlands and Sweden. Won by Ron Sherry US44. DN Western Region Championship in January on Green Lake, Wisconsin won by Steve Orlebeke US4926. Gold Cup sailed eastern end Lake Ontario, Kingston, Canada won by Karol Jablonski P36. Northern Championships not completed due to snow. Eastern Region and New England Championships in March, both won by James "T" Thieler US5224. Central Region no regatta and will try again in December 2015.

#### Topic 3 Approval of the Minutes of National Secretaries Meeting 2014

These were AGREED and APPROVED.

#### Topic 4 Matters Arising from Topic 3 not covered by this Agenda

There were no matters.

#### Topic 5 Financial Report

The Treasurer presented the Financial Report for 2014/2015 and a comparison of costs 2006 to 2015 [see attached]. Daniel Hansen checked the figures, declared all correct and was warmly thanked. The Financial Report showed a significant negative operation result. This was attributed to lower entry numbers (188 in 2014, 141 in 2015), unforeseen costs (moving and ice seeking €1804 in 2014, €3235 in 2015). It was agreed that entry numbers for EC and WC are a major factor in the annual cost of IDNIYRA Europe. It was also agreed that lower cost hotels should be sought for the Annual Meeting. The Treasurer was warmly thanked for his very clear presentation of all the financial information.

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#### Topic 6 Letters to the Board

OE221 When the EC or WC is cancelled due to bad ice and there is no sailing, what happens to the entry fees paid? Answer – The costs are balanced against the income and the difference distributed to the registered entries. The IDNIYRA fee is not returned.

#### Topic 7 EC 2015 Report

Another difficult year for sailable ice and after much searching in many countries Lake Varsjov (approx. 55 km from Tartu) was selected.

The PRC failed to arrange for the Rule Test at the check-in and their performance over all was very disappointing e.g. poor ice checking with some undetected and unmarked cracks and holes, very poor Darling Marks leading to confusion on the race course, inadequate monitoring of races, and too few DNs in A Fleet. This all caused much dissatisfaction amongst many sailors and led to "National Secretaries" holding an "ad hoc" meeting and voting to discard A Fleet Race 5. This race was subsequently reinstated because only the Race Committee has the authority to discard or cancel a race. Safety overall was a key and vital issue and attention to it was somewhat below the standard required and expected. There was an overriding feeling that the PRC was pro-Polish.

It was felt that with the current global weather changes a major European Ice Sailing event should be held earlier in the season, e.g. late January.

#### Topic 8 WC/EC Junior DN and Ice Optimist 2015 Report

Organised by Swedish DN Fleet in cooperation with the JPM on Lake Rekyva in Siauliai, Lithuania. Moved from Sweden due to poor ice conditions. Lower cost for most participants.

71 participants from 7 countries: Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland Russia, Sweden and USA. Seven races for each Fleet (DN and Ice Optimist) completed on 17th and 18th February with 16th as training day. Time constraints caused by move from Sweden did not allow EC to be organised or run. Excellent help and cooperation from Irute Zickuvienne of the Rekyva Lakes School and Sailing club.

#### Topic 9 Lessons Learned from EC 2015 and Junior WC/EC 2015

#### EC 2015

(a) There is an urgent need to review the structure, membership and Terms of Reference of the PRC and it must be International. Attila Pataki undertook to lead on this with Maciej Brosz. Interest in membership/help was shown by Estonia, Latvia, Sweden, Netherlands and Poland.

(b) The structure and role of the EIA requires review. (see Topic 14)

#### ACTION: Attila/Maciej

- (c) P36 proposals:
  - (i) Start position in first A Fleet race according to ranking This was unanimously rejected.
  - (ii) WC every year in Europe. Unanimously rejected.

(iii) Redress. Secretary undertook to draft some words for Year Book (Europe section) and website.

#### ACTION: Secretary/Webmaster

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#### Junior DN & Ice Optimist WC/EC 2015

Some Ice Optimist sail numbers caused difficulty to the scorers by the use of e.g. POL, LAT and LTU with 4 digits. IO sail numbers should be the same format as for the DN and this should be stated in the NOR and the Sailing Instructions.

#### Topic 10 Junior Programme Report (incl P36 proposals)

The short ice season gave problems in organising many junior races in central and northern Europe. <u>Junior DN age limit.</u> It was agreed to raise this from 22 to 23 years. This will be reflected in the Year Book and on the website. <u>ACTION:</u> Secretary/Webmaster

<u>Good Sportsmanship Award 2015</u> Presented by Simon Cederholm (S897), the Swedish Junior Programme Manager, to Estonia.

There is growing interest in the Ice Optimist in Sweden with new sailors recruited from sailing clubs in Stockholm, Uppsala and Strangnas. New boats built in Uppsala and imported from U.S. (Ron Sherry). Total of 49 now registered. One-way finish course with 2 Darling marks at each rounding mark for safety – successfully introduced.

DN Junior and Ice Optimist Championships 2016

These will be organised by Estonia with the primary site at Parnu. Dates 15th to 19th February 2016 with 15th February as the training day and 19th as Reserve day.

P36 proposals:

(a) Top 5 ranked Juniors into A Fleet. Switzerland suggested top 3 Juniors into A Fleet with coaching. However this proposal was considered unsafe for both the inexperienced Juniors and the experienced ranked DN sailors. It also denied ranked DN sailors from their well-earned ranking opportunities. This proposal would require a Class Vote.

(b) No entry fee for Juniors. Not supported. The experience of many is that anything for "free" is taken for granted and of little value.

#### Topic 11 Technical Committee Report

Dag Erikssen reported:

The biggest discussion has been about rope halyards. This resulted in a proposal to allow them, which will go to vote later.

Questions concerning runner and sail specifications were answered by Jane Pegel who has put in a lot of work leading the Technical Committee discussions and formulating interpretations.

Simpler questions from Swedish sailors were answered directly.

Note Rope halyards were rejected at the NA Annual Meeting so will not go to vote (Topic 13)



2015 Gold Cup at Kingston, Ontario. Above: Griffin Sherry US4 raises the flag at opening ceremonies. Below: A very colorful unique paint job! Photos by David Frost



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#### Topic 12 IDNIYRA-Europe Insurance Report

Insurance Manager reported no special issues or claims in 2014/2015.

It was reported that Hennie van den Brink (H313) now has all the money from the insurance company resulting from his 2008 accident and claim. This news was greeted with warm applause by all present. Following the 2014 suggestion that minimum insurance cover be increased from €500 000 to €1 million the Secretary undertook to email all National Secretaries to assess the impact of this increase.

#### ACTION: Secretary

#### Topic 13 IDNIYRA-Europe - NA Contact Report

Deb Whitehorse reported NIA more active with approval for use of alternative course using Darling marks for NA DN class in 2016. Dimensions of the safety zone are to be considered next. NA Annual Meeting held in Kingston (Ontario) and Minutes have been sent to all IDNIYRA-Europe Board, Secretaries and Technical Committee members. Some proposals for Technical and By Law will be mailed for vote in June. Deb was warmly thanked for her valuable and constructive contributions.

#### Topic 14 European Ice Boat Authority (EIA)

A lengthy discussion concluded and agreed that this essential Authority required a revised structure with membership that allows flexibility. Its use and procedure must be clear and understood when required. It is to be called **The European DN Ice Boat Authority (EDNIA)** and the agreed structure together with a letter to the Board which contains 12 points aimed at improving the Protest procedure are **attached** [See page 29-ed.]. The EDNIA structure will be included in the 2016 Year Book and on the IDNIYRA-Europe website.

#### <u>ACTION:</u> Webmaster/NA Exec Sec/Sec

#### Topic 15 Discharge of the Board of Officers

It was agreed that the Board of Officers (Commodore, Vice Commodore, Insurance Manager, Treasurer, Junior Programme Manager, Web Master and Secretary) had discharged their duties according to the Constitution in a very satisfactory manner.

#### Topic 16 Election of IDNIYRA-Europe Officers (for 2 year period)

The following were elected for a 2-year period:

- (a) <u>Junior Programme Manager</u> Jerzy Sukow (P345) elected to replace Stan Macur who was warmly thanked for his many years in this key post.
- (b) <u>Secretary</u> Chris Williams
- (c) <u>Web Master</u> Dietmar Gottke

All these officers accepted their appointments.

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#### Topic 17 Determination of Contributions to IDNIYRA-Europe Society e.V and WC/EC Entry Fee

It was agreed that the IDNIYRA-Europe Society fee should remain at €45 for all entries. A proposal from Bernd Zeiger to have a graduated entry fee to encourage early entries was discussed and the following agreed:

Early entry: €135 for 14 days, then raise to €170 Late entry: €300.

ACTION: Treasurer

#### Topic 18 Budget 2015/2016

The Treasurer presented the Budget for 2015/2016 and was warmly thanked for his clear and concise presentation.

#### Topic 19 Various Proposals

OE221: (a) Register with own sail number even if using a borrowed boat. It was acknowledged that this is the norm and any deviation causes confusion to scorers and subsequently ranking. It could also be an Insurance cover issue and should not be allowed by the PRC

(b) There should be a minimum size of a regatta for ranking points. This was not agreed.

#### Topic 20 Year Book and Runner Tracks

Year Book – a print version continues to be available and will be mailed to the IDNIYRA-Europe Board and National Secretaries.

Runner Tracks – The online version continues and Deb was warmly thanked for its easy to read version.

#### Topic 21 Internet Communications

The Webmaster briefed:

(a) The Facebook channel and the website have now both been working well for 3 years. The splitting of entertainment between Facebook (pictures, videos, chit-chat) and the website (official information) has proved successful and guarantees clear and wide circulation. All posts on the website are posted immediately and automatically to the Facebook channel as well, so that every sailor is kept fully informed. Not everyone knows this and some National Secretaries only post their information on Facebook, so it does not appear on the website. It is recommended that the first place to put their information is the website, then it is provided automatically to Facebook. I will send a reminder to all National Secretaries before the start of the new season.

#### ACTION: Webmaster

(b) The Junior section is now fully integrated into the website including insurance check and online registration.

(c) The new IDNIYRA Safety Test and the easy and quick use of it were up and running on the website. To date about 2000 tests have been done and one can say that this is an excellent way to obtain more and better knowledge of the Right of Way rules.



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#### Topic 22 WC/EC 2016

#### Host Nation Austria. Saturday 23rd January to Saturday 30th January 2016

Check-in:Saturday 23rdJanuary 0800-1600 (CET)Racing Days:Sunday 24thJanuary to Saturday 30th JanuaryRegistration:Opening date01 December 2015 - 1200 (CET)Closing date09 January 2016 - 2400 (CET)Payment closes Wednesday 13th January 2016.

#### Topic 23 NA 2016 Central Region USA 20th to 27th February 2016.

#### Topic 24 Host National Secretaries Meeting 2016

Dates **22nd to 24th April 2016** Venue to be decided but must be economic.

ACTION: Commodore

#### Topic 25 EC 2017

To be decided at 2016 National Secretaries Meeting.

#### Topic 26 WC/EC 2018

Estonia offer to host the WC/EC 2018 was accepted with many thanks. This will be an important part of their celebration of 100 years of Ice Sailing in Estonia.

#### Topic 27 Other Business

It was agreed to dispense with the 50+ trophy and offer it to the Berlin Ice Boat Museum.

#### <u>ACTION:</u> Vice Commodore

The meeting closed at 1125 and the Commodore again thanked the Swedish organisers for their excellent arrangements, and all who attended for their valuable contributions.



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### EUROPEAN DN ICE BOAT AUTHORITY (EDNIA)

a. The EDNIA is established to hear appeals against any Regatta Protest Committee decisions in Europe which are disputed. The five EDNIA members are elected, and reviewed every five years, by the European National Secretaries at the National Secretaries' Meeting. They must not be members of the PRC. Their names and contact details shall be posted on the IDNIYRA-Europe website and in the Year Book. They shall name a Chairman. Three out of the five should be chosen for the appeal hearing by the Chairman.

b. The Appeals procedure must follow the same route as Appeals to the National Iceboat Authority (NIA Racing Rules Part V, D). All Appeals shall be made in writing and filed with the EDNIA within 30 days of the rendering of the decision appealed. It is particularly important to have written consent to the Appeal, signed by the Judges rendering the original decision.

c. The appeal decision shall be made within 30 days of the date the Appeal was properly filed with the EDNIA and shall be sent to all parties to the infringement and appeal.

d. The EDNIA shall also maintain regular contact with the Directors of the NIA.



| Rank | Name                   | Sail    |
|------|------------------------|---------|
| 1    | John Dennis            | US 4691 |
| 1    | Karol Jablonski        | P 36    |
| 1    | Ron Sherry             | US 44   |
| 2    | Michal Burczynski      | P 114   |
| 2    | Mark Christensen       | US 4824 |
| 2    | Robert Graczyk         | P 31    |
| 2    | Vaiko Vooremaa         | С6      |
| 3    | Steve Orlebeke         | US 4926 |
| 3    | James Thieler          | US 5224 |
| 3    | Lukasz Zakrzewski      | P 155   |
| 3    | Tomasz Zakrzewski      | P 55    |
| 4    | Madars Alvikis         | O 31    |
| 4    | Mike Derusha           | US 2545 |
| 5    | Jaan Akermann          | C 64    |
| 5    | Mark Isabell           | US 5014 |
| 5    | Mihkel Kosk            | C 45    |
| 5    | Martin-Bjorn Schneider | G 679   |
| 5    | Griffin Sherry JR      | US 4    |
| 6    | Chad Atkins            | US 4487 |
| 6    | Oliver Moore           | US 5469 |
| 7    | Argo Vooremaa          | C 36    |
| 7    | Maciej Zarnowski       | P 338   |
| 8    | Matiss Alvikis         | O 311   |
| 8    | Don Brush              | US 4009 |
| 8    | JR Francis             | US 807  |
| 8    | Fredrik Lonegren       | S 8     |
| 8    | Karl-Hannes Tagu       | C 31    |
| 8    | John Winquist          | L 601   |
| 9    | Kent Baker             | US 5219 |
| 9    | Thomas Ebler           | D 112   |
| 9    | Richard Potcova        | US 216  |
| 9    | Jakob Schneider        | P 679   |
| 10   | Eric Anderson          | US 5193 |
| 10   | Peter Hamrak           | M 53    |
| 10   | John Harper            | US 4379 |
| 10   | Tomas Lindgren         | S 81    |
| 11   | James Hadley           | US 3406 |
| 11   | J.Bruce Williams       | US 3283 |
| 12   | Jim Grogan             | US 3    |
| 12   | Dariusz Kardas         | P 13    |

| Rank | Name                  | Sail    |
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| 12   | Holger Petzke         | G 890   |
| 12   | Wojciech Baranowski   | P 104   |
| 13   | Rickard Gustring      | S 713   |
| 14   | Andre Baby            | KC 4360 |
| 14   | Mike Bloom            | US 5432 |
| 14   | Jim McDonagh          | US 5214 |
| 14   | John Pettersson       | L 66    |
| 15   | Pawel Burczynski      | P 164   |
| 16   | Anja Fiedler          | G 390   |
| 16   | Ryan Lashaway         | US 5393 |
| 16   | Dideric van Riemsdijk | H 467   |
| 17   | Andreas Bock          | G 624   |
| 17   | Robert Holman         | US 3705 |
| 17   | Dick Wollam           | US 4882 |
| 18   | Pete Johns            | US 2360 |
| 18   | Eddie Klemets         | S 812   |
| 18   | Jost Kolb             | G 936   |
| 19   | Hans Ebler-Hansen     | D 92    |
| 19   | Mike Miller           | US 5369 |
| 20   | Joerg Bohn            | G 737   |
| 20   | Bill Cutting          | US 5430 |
| 20   | Jaroslaw Miarczynski  | P 355   |
| 21   | Gatis Graudumus       | O 10    |
| 21   | George Reis           | US 5053 |
| 21   | Worek Wojciech        | P 311   |
| 22   | John Curtis           | KC 5514 |
| 23   | Chris Berger          | US 5166 |
| 23   | Wolfgang Boettger     | G 597   |
| 23   | Hal Bowman            | US 1277 |
| 23   | Raivo Elnionis        | 04      |
| 23   | Lennie Liscio         | KC 5487 |
| 23   | Rafal Sielicki        | P 254   |
| 23   | Peter Van Rossem      | KC 2766 |
| 23   | Nick Vitale           | US 1006 |
| 23   | Jean-Claude Vulthier  | Z 39    |
| 24   | J. William Coberly    | US 472  |
| 24   | Valeriy Dichenko      | R 166   |
| 24   | Tim Dixon             | US 4148 |
| 24   | Kevin Grass           | C 23    |
| 24   | Marton Denes Hegyi    | M 50    |

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| Rank | Name               | Sail    |
|------|--------------------|---------|
| 24   | Julie Richards     | US 4868 |
| 24   | Martin Vacula      | CZ 92   |
| 25   | Bob Crinion        | KC 4536 |
| 25   | David Frost        | US 5358 |
| 25   | Tom Meyer          | US 602  |
| 25   | John Milbank       | US4110  |
| 25   | Mikael Pettersson  | L 65    |
| 25   | Adam Szczesny      | P 243   |
| 25   | Jerzy Artur Taber  | P 74    |
| 26   | Maciej Brosz       | P 247   |
| 26   | Daniel Connel      | US 1630 |
| 26   | Richard Crucet     | US 4916 |
| 26   | Stan Jones         | US 4974 |
| 26   | Kristaps Karklins  | O 11    |
| 26   | Hardi Laurits      | C 96    |
| 26   | Steven Madden      | US 4512 |
| 26   | Stefan Schleifer   | P 402   |
| 27   | Adam Baranowski    | P 235   |
| 27   | Bob Cave           | US 445  |
| 27   | Mike Deye          | US 5420 |
| 27   | Nicolas Mabboux    | KC 5508 |
| 27   | Ueli Marti         | Z 78    |
| 27   | Gareth J. Rowland  | K 11    |
| 27   | Peter Truesdell    | US 5350 |
| 27   | Oleg Vasilyev      | R1      |
| 28   | Peter Greveling    | H 845   |
| 28   | Philipp Hribar     | OE 777  |
| 28   | Poul Jorgensen     | D 156   |
| 28   | Marek Lentsius     | C 72    |
| 28   | Johan JR Loenn     | S 900   |
| 28   | William MacCormack | US 5187 |
| 29   | Piotr Burczynski   | P 154   |
| 29   | Robert Cummins     | US 3433 |
| 29   | Rudolph Fredy      | Z 42    |
| 29   | Paul Gervais       | US 4626 |
| 29   | Donald Jones       | US 610  |
| 29   | Johannes Puusepp   | C 54    |
| 29   | Jarek Radzki       | P 431   |
| 30   | Eddy Adams         | US 5022 |
| 30   | Bruce Brown        | US1610  |

| Rank | Name                  | Sail    |
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| 30   | Timoleon Caravitis    | L 37    |
| 30   | Doug Merrill          | US5482  |
| 30   | Dann Pettersson       | L 68    |
| 30   | Eben Whitcomb, III    | US 4775 |
| 31   | Mike Beresni          | US 5787 |
| 31   | Marek Bernat          | P 65    |
| 31   | David Fortier         | US 4690 |
| 31   | Mati Hool             | C 46    |
| 31   | David Howlett         | K 13    |
| 31   | Warren Nethercote     | KC 3786 |
| 31   | Hakan Soderberg       | S 42    |
| 32   | Anatoly Laryuchenkov  | R 190   |
| 32   | Mats Loenn            | S 901   |
| 32   | Vladislav Ptasnik     | CZ 112  |
| 32   | Geoff Sobering        | US 5156 |
| 32   | Marek Artur Stefaniuk | P 107   |
| 33   | Dave Buckley          | US5492  |
| 33   | Jori Lenon            | US 5397 |
| 33   | Ken Smith, Jr.        | US 4137 |
| 34   | Glenn Betzoldt        | US 5172 |
| 34   | Julie Jankowski       | US 4271 |
| 34   | Don Niles             | US 5465 |
| 34   | Rene Riim             | C 24    |
| 34   | Gunars Rozenbergs     | 06      |
| 34   | George Siegle         | US 5250 |
| 35   | Howard Garland        | KC 5532 |
| 35   | Richard Larsson       | S 807   |
| 35   | Bill Mintz            | US 5404 |
| 35   | Johan Tolsma          | H 580   |
| 36   | Patrick Fitzgerald    | US 4203 |
| 36   | Rob Querner           | H 666   |
| 36   | Roger Rowecki         | P 251   |
| 36   | Jerzy Surkow          | P 345   |
| 37   | Martin Aljaste        | C 47    |
| 37   | Jan Heida             | Н 534   |
| 37   | Louis Loenneke        | US 294  |
| 38   | Dirk Meyer            | G 136   |
| 38   | Jerzy Najdrowski      | P 24    |
| 38   | Chris Teal            | US 5285 |
| 39   | Artis Berzins         | 02      |

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| 39   | Bogdan Eder         | P 51    |
| 39   | Joonas Lindhal      | L 11    |
| 39   | Art Sampson         | KC 4684 |
| 40   | Pierre Bachelin     | Z 25    |
| 40   | Dennis de Ruiter    | H 852   |
| 40   | Philippe Durr       | Z 50    |
| 40   | Ben Kloos           | Н 962   |
| 41   | Stefan Bokfors      | S 107   |
| 41   | Manfred Schreiber   | G 99    |
| 41   | Peter Uhlmann       | OE 213  |
| 42   | Eigo Helimets       | C 73    |
| 42   | Joe Meade           | US 637  |
| 42   | Patrik Stenberg     | S 726   |
| 43   | George Bolsch       | S 890   |
| 43   | Chad Coberly        | US 1301 |
| 43   | Peter Hale          | KC 5571 |
| 43   | Jurgen Kukk         | C 89    |
| 43   | Maalinn Rasmus      | C 20    |
| 43   | Risto Riim          | C 15    |
| 43   | Timo Sivula         | L 731   |
| 44   | Arnaud L'Huillier   | Z 102   |
| 44   | Matt McCauley       | US 4768 |
| 44   | Lars D. Moeller     | D 126   |
| 45   | Jacques Charbonneau | KC 4992 |
| 45   | Andrzej Jojko       | P 146   |
| 45   | Valentina Kozlova   | R 79    |
| 45   | Leon Lebeau         | US 30   |
| 45   | Peter van Rooij     | H 199   |
| 46   | Mathieu Conus       | Z 87    |
| 46   | Ivan Fershal        | B 5     |
| 46   | Heiner Forstmann    | G 44    |
| 46   | Robert Gray         | US 65   |
| 47   | Andrzej Dalecki     | P 180   |
| 47   | Hans Eriksson       | S 441   |
| 47   | Piet Hopma-Zijlema  | H 667   |
| 47   | Meelis Kosk         | C 43    |
| 47   | Niklas Oskarsson    | S 117   |
| 48   | Toivo Aardemaa      | C 4     |
| 48   | Roland Huber        | OE 250  |
| 48   | Lars Orum           | D 366   |

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| 49   | Jean-Pierre Comtesse     | Z 47    |
| 49   | Rick Gordon              | US 5498 |
| 49   | Vaclav Hendrych          | CZ 123  |
| 49   | Johanna Saareke          | C 42    |
| 49   | Karl-Robert Trink        | C 44    |
| 50   | Jack Goritski            | US 5478 |
| 50   | Knut Peters              | G 896   |
| 51   | Janis Jekabsons          | 08      |
| 51   | Wulf Kroglowski          | G 749   |
| 51   | Niklas Mueller-Hartburg  | OE 221  |
| 51   | Jerker Sundstrom         | L 371   |
| 51   | Libor Vacula             | CZ 97   |
| 52   | Alexander Galich         | R 10    |
| 52   | Tord Kvarsten            | S 515   |
| 52   | Ryszard Szumowski        | P 134   |
| 53   | Catherine Firmbach       | US 3590 |
| 53   | Mats Loefberg            | L 69    |
| 53   | Rafal Lugowski           | P 341   |
| 54   | Alexey Chusov            | R 172   |
| 54   | Tyler Garland            | KC 5483 |
| 54   | Basil Rudolph            | Z 121   |
| 55   | Colin Duncan             | KC 5457 |
| 55   | Guenter Kring            | G 527   |
| 55   | Sebastian Obermaier      | G 517   |
| 55   | Attila Istvan jun Pataki | M 101   |
| 55   | Andryej Wojtkiewicz      | P 15    |
| 56   | Ernst-August Schorling   | G 631   |
| 56   | Piotr Szafranek          | P 96    |
| 56   | Scott Valentine          | US 4925 |
| 57   | Grzegorz Penkala         | P 327   |
| 57   | Hal Scaff III            | US 5502 |
| 58   | Iurii Aleksandrou        | R 310   |
| 58   | Vojtech Komarek          | CZ 113  |
| 58   | Jay McKinnell            | KC 5550 |
| 58   | Piet Ploum               | H 472   |
| 59   | Dietmar Gottke           | G 4     |
| 59   | Walter Kolbl             | OE 119  |
| 60   | Stefan Eriksson          | S 881   |
| 60   | Lars Lantz               | S 552   |
| 60   | Attila Pataki            | M 100   |

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| 61   | Valdo Partel              | C 26   |
| 62   | Michal Jaworski           | P14    |
| 62   | Miroslaw Kisly            | P 208  |
| 62   | Hans Kreisel              | H 1000 |
| 63   | Krzysztof Prot            | P 442  |
| 63   | Per Schjolberg-Henriksen  | N 13   |
| 64   | Jerzy Henke               | P 58   |
| 64   | Janusz Marek Taber        | P 44   |
| 67   | Pawel Matejak             | P 54   |
| 68   | Simon Cederholm           | S897   |
| 70   | Dag Lindstrom             | S 639  |
| 71   | Vladimir Gribov           | R 77   |
| 71   | Robert Lammers            | H 462  |
| 71   | Gunnar Stromberg          | S 596  |
| 72   | Hakan Elfstrom            | S 143  |
| 72   | Jan Gottke                | G 54   |
| 72   | Eric van Komen            | H 59   |
| 73   | Egbert de Sauvage Nolting | H 592  |
| 73   | Nils Olof Olsson          | S 810  |
| 74   | Jaroslav Tyle             | CZ 121 |
| 75   | Hans Kowallek             | S 763  |
| 75   | Jacek Warso               | P 336  |
| 76   | Rob Leuverink             | H 675  |
| 78   | Urs Kasper                | Z120   |
| 78   | Roman Rocek               | CZ 100 |
| 78   | Leszek Ziolkowski         | P 71   |
| 79   | Raymond Dijkstra          | H 991  |
| 79   | Per Owe Svensson          | S 788  |
| 80   | Margreet Elfring          | H 972  |
| 81   | Pieter Dijkstra           | H 485  |
| 87   | Yuriy Alexandrov          | R 310  |
| 89   | Lex van Helden            | H 877  |



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| 48   | Toivo Aardemaa       | C 4     |
|      | Dave Abbott          | US 5143 |
|      | Sheldon Abrams       | US 3042 |
| 30   | Eddy Adams           | US 5022 |
|      | Hans Adolfsson       | S 325   |
|      | Alexander Afanasiev  | R 139   |
| 5    | Jaan Akermann        | C 64    |
| 58   | lurii Aleksandrou    | R 310   |
| 87   | Yuriy Alexandrov     | R 310   |
| 37   | Martin Aljaste       | C 47    |
|      | Andy Allen           | US 5451 |
|      | Harry Allen          | US 2452 |
| 4    | Madars Alvikis       | O 31    |
| 8    | Matiss Alvikis       | O 311   |
| 10   | Eric Anderson        | US 5193 |
|      | Christer Andersson   | S 717   |
|      | Kjell Andersson      | S 66    |
|      | Zjedonis Antapsons   | 07      |
|      | Stephan Arsenault    | KC 4361 |
|      | Uldis Asars          | 03      |
|      | Peter Ashley         | US 4442 |
|      | Andrey Astaschev     | R 21    |
|      | Yuri Astashev        | R 22    |
| 6    | Chad Atkins          | US 4487 |
|      | Andrey Austin        | R 515   |
|      | Tom Austin           | US 4889 |
|      | Harald Axling        | S 714   |
|      | C Butch Babcock      | US 88   |
|      | Maxim Babin          | R 8     |
| 14   | Andre Baby           | KC 4360 |
| 40   | Pierre Bachelin      | Z 25    |
|      | Ronald Back          | L 71    |
|      | Dan Backlund         | L 70    |
| 9    | Kent Baker           | US 5219 |
|      | Miklos Bakonyi       | M 12    |
|      | Mike Baldwin         | US 4597 |
|      | Magnus Baltscheffsky | S 767   |
| 27   | Adam Baranowski      | P 235   |
| 13   | Wojciech Baranowski  | P 104   |
|      | Klas Barne           | S 367   |

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|------|----------------------|---------|
|      | Mike Barnett         | US 5479 |
|      | Rudi Bauer           | OE 39   |
|      | Karl-Heinz Benatszky | G 836   |
| 31   | Mike Beresni         | US 5787 |
| 23   | Chris Berger         | US 5166 |
|      | Thomas Bergner       | G 601   |
|      | Mikael Bergvall      | S 705   |
| 31   | Marek Bernat         | P 65    |
| 39   | Artis Berzins        | 02      |
| 34   | Glenn Betzoldt       | US 5172 |
|      | Dan Bierman          | US 2301 |
|      | Cezariusz Bigda      | P 101   |
|      | Troels Bjerre        | D 300   |
|      | Ronnie Bjorkrot      | S 553   |
|      | Peter J. Blacklock   | US 4794 |
|      | Charlie Blair        | US 4387 |
|      | Stephane Blanchard   | KC 8    |
| 14   | Mike Bloom           | US 5432 |
| 17   | Andreas Bock         | G 624   |
| 23   | Wolfgang Boettger    | G 597   |
| 20   | Joerg Bohn           | G 737   |
| 41   | Stefan Bokfors       | S 107   |
| 43   | George Bolsch        | S 890   |
|      | Margreet Bosker      | H 860   |
| 23   | Hal Bowman           | US 1277 |
|      | Emily Bramhall       | US 5182 |
|      | Bryan Brieden        | US 4175 |
|      | Karlis Briedis       | O 131   |
|      | Peter Brog           | G 828   |
| 26   | Maciej Brosz         | P 247   |
| 30   | Bruce Brown          | US1610  |
|      | Duncan Brown         | US 2857 |
|      | Jeff Brown           | US 5232 |
|      | Scott Brown          | US 5298 |
| 8    | Don Brush            | US 4009 |
|      | Bill Buchbinder      | US 4266 |
| 33   | Dave Buckley         | US5492  |
|      | Thomas Buechner      | G 544   |
|      | Bernd Buhler         | G 847   |
| 2    | Michal Burczynski    | P 114   |

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|------|----------------------|---------|
| 15   | Pawel Burczynski     | P 164   |
| 29   | Piotr Burczynski     | P 154   |
|      | Charles Burda        | US 3181 |
|      | Barry Burgess        | US 4823 |
|      | Russ Burke           | US 5359 |
|      | Theo Burtick         | KC 5113 |
|      | John Bushey          | US 5158 |
|      | Tomasz Candert       | S 642   |
| 30   | Timoleon Caravitis   | L 37    |
|      | J.P. Carnaghi        | US 3743 |
|      | Sandre Caron         | Н 707   |
|      | John Casey           | US 535  |
| 27   | Bob Cave             | US 445  |
| 68   | Simon Cederholm      | S897    |
| 45   | Jacques Charbonneau  | KC 4992 |
|      | Markham Chatterton   | US 4811 |
|      | Evgeny Chernov       | R 98    |
| 2    | Mark Christensen     | US 4824 |
|      | Enroth Christer      | S 73    |
| 54   | Alexey Chusov        | R 172   |
|      | Miroslaw Ciegowski   | P 106   |
|      | Dave Clapp           | US 5116 |
|      | Chris Clark          | US 4789 |
|      | Richard Clark        | US 3700 |
|      | Tim Cleary           | US 236  |
| 43   | Chad Coberly         | US 1301 |
| 24   | J. William Coberly   | US 472  |
| 49   | Jean-Pierre Comtesse | Z 47    |
|      | William Condon       | US 4099 |
| 26   | Daniel Connel        | US 1630 |
| 46   | Mathieu Conus        | Z 87    |
|      | William Converse     | US 2804 |
|      | Robert Cook          | US 4915 |
|      | Gregory Cornelius    | US 1019 |
|      | Kalle Coster         | H 820   |
|      | John Creigh          | US 2170 |
| 25   | Bob Crinion          | KC 4536 |
|      | Chris Croasdale      | US 4826 |
|      | Ray Croasdale        | US 1873 |
| 26   | Richard Crucet       | US 4916 |

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|------|---------------------------|---------|
|      | Bob Crum                  | US 385  |
| 29   | Robert Cummins            | US 3433 |
| 22   | John Curtis               | KC 5514 |
| 20   | Bill Cutting              | US 5430 |
|      | Herb Dakin                | US 2237 |
|      | Ansis Dale                | O 13    |
| 47   | Andrzej Dalecki           | P 180   |
|      | Soren Damm                | D 271   |
|      | Erik Dancker-Jansen       | D 137   |
|      | John Davenport            | US 4961 |
|      | Tom Dawson                | US 5470 |
| 40   | Dennis de Ruiter          | H 852   |
| 73   | Egbert de Sauvage Nolting | H 592   |
|      | Harry Defer               | US 99   |
| 1    | John Dennis               | US 4691 |
| 4    | Mike Derusha              | US 2545 |
| 27   | Mike Deye                 | US 5420 |
| 24   | Valeriy Dichenko          | R166    |
|      | Skip Dieball              | US 5    |
|      | Uwe Dieckmann             | G 600   |
| 81   | Pieter Dijkstra           | H 485   |
| 79   | Raymond Dijkstra          | H 991   |
| 24   | Tim Dixon                 | US 4148 |
|      | Thomas Donath             | G 85    |
|      | Lars Donner               | L 34    |
|      | Patrik Ducommun           | Z 70    |
| 55   | Colin Duncan              | KC 5457 |
|      | Jerome Durr               | Z 57    |
| 40   | Philippe Durr             | Z 50    |
| 9    | Thomas Ebler              | D 112   |
| 19   | Hans Ebler-Hansen         | D 92    |
|      | Helmuth Ebner             | OE 227  |
| 39   | Bogdan Eder               | P 51    |
| 80   | Margreet Elfring          | H 972   |
| 72   | Hakan Elfstrom            | S 143   |
| 23   | Raivo Elnionis            | 04      |
|      | David Elsmo               | US 5486 |
|      | Bengt Enoksson            | L9      |
|      | Peter Epacher             | M 27    |
|      | Jack Erikson              | US 3186 |

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|------|--------------------|---------|
|      | Dag Eriksson       | S 74    |
| 47   | Hans Eriksson      | S 441   |
| 60   | Stefan Eriksson    | S 881   |
|      | Graham Erwin       | US 246  |
|      | Terry Erwin        | US 244  |
|      | Robert Evans       | US 4975 |
|      | Paul Even          | G 569   |
|      | Victor Fadeyev     | R 82    |
|      | Jan Fagerberg      | S 300   |
|      | Peter Falk-Ronne   | D 282   |
|      | Lars Farien        | G 941   |
| 46   | Ivan Fershal       | В5      |
|      | Sean Fidler        | US 5200 |
| 16   | Anja Fiedler       | G 390   |
| 53   | Catherine Firmbach | US 3590 |
| 36   | Patrick Fitzgerald | US 4203 |
|      | Axel Forstmann     | G 244   |
| 46   | Heiner Forstmann   | G 44    |
| 31   | David Fortier      | US 4690 |
|      | Will Foster        | US 1    |
| 8    | JR Francis         | US 807  |
| 29   | Rudolph Fredy      | Z 42    |
|      | Aaron Freeman      | US 5450 |
| 25   | David Frost        | US 5358 |
|      | Heiner Frowein     | G 996   |
|      | Jozsef Furstner    | M 531   |
|      | Marc Gagnier       | KC 5165 |
| 52   | Alexander Galich   | R 10    |
| 35   | Howard Garland     | KC 5532 |
| 54   | Tyler Garland      | KC 5483 |
| 29   | Paul Gervais       | US 4626 |
|      | Eddy Gibson        | US 5456 |
|      | Bent Gjerloff      | D 321   |
|      | Jim Gluek          | US 4257 |
|      | Michael Good       | Z 45    |
|      | Paul Goodwin       | US 46   |
| 49   | Rick Gordon        | US 5498 |
| 50   | Jack Goritski      | US 5478 |
| 59   | Dietmar Gottke     | G 4     |
| 72   | Jan Gottke         | G 54    |

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|------|-------------------------|---------|
|      | Jan Gougeon             | US 1183 |
|      | Meade Gougeon           | US 882  |
| 2    | Robert Graczyk          | P 31    |
| 24   | Kevin Grass             | C 23    |
| 21   | Gatis Graudumus         | O 10    |
| 46   | Robert Gray             | US 65   |
|      | Ernst Greten            | G 234   |
| 28   | Peter Greveling         | H 845   |
| 71   | Vladimir Gribov         | R 77    |
|      | Vadimas Grigonis        | Τ1      |
| 12   | Jim Grogan              | US 3    |
|      | Jonas Gross             | S 765   |
|      | Tomas Gross             | S 330   |
|      | Matthias Grothues-Spork | G 900   |
|      | Bora Gulari             | US 379  |
|      | Piotr Gunther           | P 184   |
|      | Tadeusz Gunther         | P 130   |
| 13   | Rickard Gustring        | S 713   |
|      | Jan Haase               | G 110   |
| 11   | James Hadley            | US 3406 |
|      | Daniel Hadorn           | Z 74    |
|      | Robert Hagstrom         | L 120   |
| 43   | Peter Hale              | KC 5571 |
|      | Rosemary Hamill         | US 4066 |
|      | Thomas Hamill           | US 4065 |
| 10   | Peter Hamrak            | M 53    |
|      | Daniel Hansen           | D 13    |
|      | Lageman Hans-Hermann    | G 176   |
|      | Peter Harcuba           | CZ 83   |
| 10   | John Harper             | US 4379 |
|      | Leo Hartman             | H 635   |
|      | Doug Harvey             | US 1202 |
|      | Leo Healy               | US 1925 |
|      | Daniel Hearn            | US 5352 |
| 24   | Marton Denes Hegyi      | M 50    |
| 37   | Jan Heida               | H 534   |
|      | Hermann Heide           | G 927   |
|      | Erik Heilmann           | D 173   |
| 42   | Eigo Helimets           | C 73    |
| 49   | Vaclav Hendrych         | CZ 123  |

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| 64   | Jerzy Henke        | P 58    |
|      | Dietmar Hobbie     | G 301   |
|      | Peter Hoeper       | US 4140 |
|      | Ruud Hogenboom     | H 62    |
| 17   | Robert Holman      | US 3705 |
|      | Raimo Honkanen     | L 13    |
|      | Janno Hool         | C 48    |
| 31   | Mati Hool          | C 46    |
| 47   | Piet Hopma-Zijlema | H 667   |
|      | Matthias Hotho     | G 677   |
|      | Michael Hotho      | G 102   |
| 31   | David Howlett      | K 13    |
| 28   | Philipp Hribar     | OE 777  |
| 48   | Roland Huber       | OE 250  |
|      | Thomas Huber       | G 8     |
|      | Charlie Hurd       | US 5506 |
|      | Detlef Huss        | G 975   |
|      | Andrew Hutchinson  | US 4989 |
|      | Ulrich Hutter      | OE 241  |
|      | Patrick Huttner    | US 5290 |
|      | Nikolay lakovlev   | R 158   |
|      | Arthur Inozemtsev  | O 19    |
|      | James Irwin        | US 4351 |
| 5    | Mark Isabell       | US 5014 |
|      | Roger Isaksen      | N 7     |
| 1    | Karol Jablonski    | P 36    |
| 34   | Julie Jankowski    | US 4271 |
|      | Mike Jankowski     | US 3271 |
|      | Stefan Jankowski   | US 5271 |
|      | Matti Jaskari      | L 122   |
| 62   | Michal Jaworski    | P 14    |
| 51   | Janis Jekabsons    | 08      |
|      | Jan Jellema        | H 208   |
|      | Christian Jensen   | D 324   |
| 18   | Pete Johns         | US 2360 |
|      | Kenneth Johnsen    | US 3852 |
|      | James Johnson      | US 5270 |
|      | Randy Johnson      | US 4000 |
| 45   | Andrzej Jojko      | P 146   |
| 29   | Donald Jones       | US 610  |

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|------|---------------------|---------|
| 26   | Stan Jones          | US 4974 |
| 28   | Poul Jorgensen      | D 156   |
|      | Dimitryj Kachin     | R 7     |
|      | Richard Kaiser      | US 4249 |
|      | Stefan Kalinowski   | P 380   |
|      | Rick Kallman        | US 4291 |
|      | Kiril Kapustin      | R 151   |
| 12   | Dariusz Kardas      | P 13    |
|      | Kaspars Karklins    | 0 60    |
| 26   | Kristaps Karklins   | O 11    |
|      | Thomas Karlsson     | S 580   |
|      | Evgeny Kashirsky    | R 211   |
| 78   | Urs Kasper          | Z120    |
|      | Jurgen Keller       | G 119   |
|      | Steve Kennedy       | US 5096 |
|      | Jeffrey Kent        | US 3535 |
|      | Aleksey Khlebushkin | R 44    |
|      | Roman Khodykin      | R 713   |
|      | David Kickhafer     | US 4602 |
|      | Mark Kiefer         | US 4695 |
|      | Andreas Kirschning  | G 880   |
| 62   | Miroslaw Kisly      | P 208   |
|      | Jody Kjoller        | US 5435 |
| 18   | Eddie Klemets       | S 812   |
|      | Randall Kline       | US 4328 |
| 40   | Ben Kloos           | H 962   |
|      | Tomaz Klunder       | P 45    |
|      | Joern Koepcke       | G 580   |
| 18   | Jost Kolb           | G 936   |
| 59   | Walter Kolbl        | OE 119  |
|      | Adam Koller         | US 5366 |
| 58   | Vojtech Komarek     | CZ 113  |
|      | Aare Koop           | C 27    |
|      | Alexander Kopylov   | R 58    |
|      | Roman Kopylov       | R 105   |
|      | Lars Koschinat      | G 776   |
|      | Dariusz Koseki      | P 125   |
| 47   | Meelis Kosk         | C 43    |
| 5    | Mihkel Kosk         | C 45    |
| 75   | Hans Kowallek       | S 763   |

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| 45   | Valentina Kozlova     | R 79    |
|      | Sven Kraja            | G 591   |
|      | Manfred Kramer        | G 114   |
|      | Fred Krause           | US 3931 |
| 62   | Hans Kreisel          | H 1000  |
| 55   | Guenter Kring         | G 527   |
|      | Andreas Kristen       | G 340   |
|      | Hubert Kristen        | G 133   |
| 51   | Wulf Kroglowski       | G 749   |
|      | Rudolfs Kruklis       | 01      |
|      | Alexey Kudashev       | R 169   |
| 43   | Jurgen Kukk           | C 89    |
|      | Valeriy Kulinickev    | R 106   |
|      | Vyacheslav Kumbrasiev | R 185   |
|      | Krisztian Kutics      | M 64    |
|      | Mati Kuulmann         | C2      |
|      | Rene Kuulmann         | C 22    |
|      | Maxim Kuzmin          | R 26    |
| 52   | Tord Kvarsten         | S 515   |
|      | Vince Labozzetta      | US 4962 |
| 71   | Robert Lammers        | H 462   |
| 60   | Lars Lantz            | S 552   |
| 35   | Richard Larsson       | S 807   |
| 32   | Anatoly Laryuchenkov  | R 190   |
| 16   | Ryan Lashaway         | US 5393 |
| 26   | Hardi Laurits         | C 96    |
| 45   | Leon Lebeau           | US 30   |
|      | Ilze Ledauniece       | 014     |
|      | Timo Lehmuskallio     | L 103   |
|      | Mihkel Lember         | C 21    |
|      | Richard Lemberg       | US 4155 |
|      | Richard Jr. Lemberg   | US 4755 |
|      | Ernst Lemke           | G 791   |
|      | Juergen Lemke         | G 792   |
| 33   | Jori Lenon            | US 5397 |
| 28   | Marek Lentsius        | C 72    |
|      | David Leonard         | US 4730 |
|      | Christian Leonards    | G 846   |
|      | Jan Leszczynski       | P 61    |
| 76   | Rob Leuverink         | H 675   |

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|------|-----------------------|---------|
| 44   | Arnaud L'Huillier     | Z 102   |
|      | Oscar Lindell         | L 132   |
|      | Robert Linden         | US 5174 |
| 10   | Tomas Lindgren        | S 81    |
| 39   | Joonas Lindhal        | L 11    |
| 70   | Dag Lindstrom         | S 639   |
| 23   | Lennie Liscio         | KC 5487 |
|      | Wolf-Dieter Lixfeld   | G 440   |
|      | Alan Lizee            | US 5169 |
| 53   | Mats Loefberg         | L 69    |
| 28   | Johan JR Loenn        | S 900   |
| 32   | Mats Loenn            | S 901   |
| 37   | Louis Loenneke        | US 294  |
|      | Jon Lofgren           | US 5394 |
| 8    | Fredrik Lonegren      | S 8     |
|      | George Long           | US 2138 |
|      | John Loomis           | US 4923 |
|      | Guy Lovejoy           | US 4638 |
| 53   | Rafal Lugowski        | P 341   |
|      | Ake Luks              | S 5     |
|      | Hans Petter Lundgaard | N 2     |
|      | Peter Lundt           | US 4490 |
|      | Neil Lynch            | US 5444 |
| 27   | Nicolas Mabboux       | KC 5508 |
| 28   | William MacCormack    | US 5187 |
|      | Doug MacFarland       | US 2500 |
|      | George Mack           | US 5110 |
|      | Pawel Macugowski      | P 148   |
|      | Stanislaw Macur       | P 111   |
| 26   | Steven Madden         | US 4512 |
|      | Sergey Makeev         | R 301   |
|      | Karl Malmstrom        | L 77    |
|      | Gennady Malyshev      | R 302   |
|      | Anthony Mancini       | US 1196 |
|      | Wieslaw Marcinczyk    | P 110   |
|      | Elwira Marciniak      | P 264   |
|      | Philippe Marc-Martin  | Z 61    |
|      | Josef Marecek         | CZ 101  |
|      | Neil Marsden          | К 10    |
| 27   | Ueli Marti            | Z 78    |

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|      | Jacek Marzenski      | KC 5247 |
| 67   | Pawel Matejak        | P 54    |
|      | Johan Mattsson       | S 698   |
|      | Kjell Mattsson       | S 557   |
|      | Dietmar Mauer        | G 905   |
|      | Mikhail Mayorov      | R 35    |
| 44   | Matt McCauley        | US 4768 |
| 14   | Jim McDonagh         | US 5214 |
|      | Scott McDowell       | US 4315 |
| 58   | Jay McKinnell        | KC 5550 |
|      | Malcolm McRae        | KC 3710 |
| 42   | Joe Meade            | US 637  |
|      | Rainer Mellenthin    | G 521   |
|      | Peeter Meressaar     | C 11    |
| 30   | Doug Merrill         | US5482  |
|      | Kyle Metzloff        | US 360  |
|      | Ulf Meusel           | G 994   |
| 38   | Dirk Meyer           | G 136   |
| 25   | Tom Meyer            | US 602  |
|      | Sam Meyers           | US 2645 |
| 20   | Jaroslaw Miarczynski | P 355   |
|      | Jakub Michalczyk     | P 9     |
| 25   | John Milbank         | US4110  |
| 19   | Mike Miller          | US 5369 |
|      | Jorg Minarek         | G 479   |
|      | Max Minarek          | G 419   |
| 35   | Bill Mintz           | US 5404 |
|      | Ken Mitchell         | KC 5118 |
|      | Charles Mittelmeijer | H 677   |
|      | Michael Mittl        | G 706   |
| 44   | Lars D. Moeller      | D 126   |
|      | Ruth Moeller         | D 242   |
|      | Ola Moller           | S 296   |
|      | Rich Montplaisir     | US 5300 |
| 6    | Oliver Moore         | US 5469 |
|      | Denise Mooser        | Z 67    |
|      | Michal Morgas        | P 56    |
|      | Claude Morin         | KC 5001 |
|      | Gunther Mostbauer    | OE 112  |
|      | Harry Mote           | US 2    |
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|------|----------------------------|---------|
|      | Ryszard Mrozek-Gliszczynki | P 80    |
|      | Thomas Mueller             | G 939   |
| 51   | Niklas Mueller-Hartburg    | OE 221  |
|      | Peter Muennich             | OE 41   |
|      | Robert Munsell             | US 4411 |
| 38   | Jerzy Najdrowski           | P 24    |
| 31   | Warren Nethercote          | KC 3786 |
|      | Ronald Neumuller           | US 1766 |
|      | Dan Nevedal                | US 5132 |
|      | Otto Nielsen               | D 108   |
| 34   | Don Niles                  | US 5465 |
|      | Jim Nordhaus               | US 5566 |
|      | Joe Norton                 | US 781  |
|      | John Norton                | KA 2    |
|      | Peter Norton               | KA 2    |
|      | Pierre-Alexandre Nouffer   | Z 84    |
|      | Niko Nuotio                | L 109   |
| 55   | Sebastian Obermaier        | G 517   |
|      | Mike O'Brien               | US 3456 |
|      | Tim Oelschlager            | US 5050 |
|      | Jim Olsen                  | US 2221 |
|      | Rob Olsen                  | US 4610 |
| 73   | Nils Olof Olsson           | S 810   |
|      | Ricards Omanbriedis        | O 111   |
|      | Herzen Oost                | H 341   |
| 3    | Steve Orlebeke             | US 4926 |
| 48   | Lars Orum                  | D 366   |
| 47   | Niklas Oskarsson           | S 117   |
|      | Alexey Ovchinikov          | R 74    |
|      | Bryan Parker               | US 5048 |
|      | Dick Parker                | US 4738 |
| 61   | Valdo Partel               | C 26    |
| 60   | Attila Pataki              | M 100   |
| 55   | Attila Istvan jun Pataki   | M 101   |
|      | Aleksandro Pavlov          | R 333   |
|      | Lars Pedersen              | D 293   |
|      | George Peet                | US 5433 |
|      | Jane Pegel                 | US 805  |
|      | Susan Pegel                | US 905  |
| 57   | Grzegorz Penkala           | P 327   |

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|      | Petri Pennanen       | L 53    |
|      | Pawel Peplowski      | P 135   |
|      | Hyde Perce           | US 5455 |
|      | Lennart Persson      | S 10    |
| 50   | Knut Peters          | G 896   |
|      | Dan W. Petersen      | D 61    |
|      | Ulf Petersen         | G 637   |
| 30   | Dann Pettersson      | L 68    |
|      | Hakan Pettersson     | S 559   |
| 14   | John Pettersson      | L 66    |
| 25   | Mikael Pettersson    | L 65    |
|      | Stig Pettersson      | S 793   |
| 12   | Holger Petzke        | G 890   |
|      | Patryk Piasecki      | P 312   |
| 58   | Piet Ploum           | H 472   |
|      | Robert Polanowski    | P 323   |
|      | Viktor Polenov       | R 37    |
|      | Wojbar Popowicz      | P 173   |
| 9    | Richard Potcova      | US 216  |
|      | Thomas Potcova, Jr.  | US 816  |
|      | Grzegorz Prokopowicz | P 37    |
|      | Dmitry Prokushenkov  | R 40    |
| 63   | Krzysztof Prot       | P 442   |
|      | Leszek Przybysz      | P 98    |
| 32   | Vladislav Ptasnik    | CZ 112  |
|      | Sergey Pulkov        | R 5     |
| 29   | Johannes Puusepp     | C 54    |
|      | Guyonne Querner      | H 811   |
| 36   | Rob Querner          | H 666   |
|      | Louise Racine        | US3639  |
| 29   | Jarek Radzki         | P 431   |
|      | Heinrich Rakuschan   | OE 7    |
|      | Merili Randmaa       | C 49    |
|      | Rando Randmaa        | C 60    |
| 43   | Maalinn Rasmus       | C 20    |
|      | Henning Rasmussen    | D 157   |
|      | Robert Rast          | US 1313 |
|      | Matt Ratliff         | US 4950 |
|      | Doug Raymond         | US 4272 |
|      | Michael Rehe         | US 5144 |

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|------|--------------------------|---------|
|      | Florian Reichel          | G 13    |
| 21   | George Reis              | US 5053 |
|      | Brad Reynolds            | KC 4507 |
|      | Mike Rian                | US 467  |
| 24   | Julie Richards           | US 4868 |
|      | Harry Richardson         | US 5148 |
| 34   | Rene Riim                | C 24    |
| 43   | Risto Riim               | C 15    |
|      | Mats Rimmo               | S 607   |
|      | Jouni Ristiluoma         | L 191   |
| 78   | Roman Rocek              | CZ 100  |
|      | Daniel Rocho             | US 441  |
|      | Randy Rogoski            | US 4192 |
|      | Helmuth Romaner          | OE 110  |
|      | Scott Root               | US 738  |
| 36   | Roger Rowecki            | P 251   |
| 27   | Gareth J. Rowland        | K 11    |
| 34   | Gunars Rozenbergs        | 06      |
| 54   | Basil Rudolph            | Z 121   |
|      | Kerstin Runge            | G 990   |
|      | Dariusz Runo             | P 241   |
| 49   | Johanna Saareke          | C 42    |
| 39   | Art Sampson              | KC 4684 |
| 57   | Hal Scaff III            | US 5502 |
|      | Henning Schillert        | G 499   |
| 63   | Per Schjolberg-Henriksen | N 13    |
| 26   | Stefan Schleifer         | P 402   |
|      | Jens Schlick             | G 148   |
|      | Jens Schlitternhard      | G 986   |
|      | Ger Schmitz              | G 386   |
| 9    | Jakob Schneider          | P 679   |
| 5    | Martin-Bjorn Schneider   | G 679   |
| 56   | Ernst-August Schorling   | G 631   |
|      | Eckeard Schrader         | G 431   |
| 41   | Manfred Schreiber        | G 99    |
|      | Reinhardt Schultz        | G 145   |
|      | Frank Schultz-Eutin      | G 360   |
|      | Dieter Schulz            | G 487   |
|      | Robert Schumacher        | US 4032 |
|      | Daan Schutte             | H 633   |

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|------|-------------------------------|---------|
|      | Stephan Schweiger             | G 799   |
|      | Stefan Schweneker             | G 755   |
|      | Wolfgang Schwippert           | G 714   |
|      | Andreas Seegers               | G 55    |
|      | Christian Seegers             | G 551   |
|      | Ben Shaevitz                  | US 5395 |
|      | Denis Shari                   | R 247   |
|      | Mike Shepherd                 | KA 1    |
| 1    | Ron Sherry                    | US 44   |
|      | Wendell Sherry                | US 45   |
| 5    | Griffin Sherry JR             | US 4    |
| 34   | George Siegle                 | US 5250 |
| 23   | Rafal Sielicki                | P 254   |
|      | Torsten Siems                 | G 666   |
|      | JF Simard                     | KC 5159 |
| 43   | Timo Sivula                   | L 731   |
|      | Bengt Sjoeberg                | S 609   |
|      | Oa Sjoeberg                   | L1      |
|      | Gert Skatskov                 | C 86    |
|      | Ruud Smit                     | H 460   |
|      | Andy Smith                    | US 5889 |
|      | Greg Smith                    | US 3662 |
| 33   | Ken Smith, Jr.                | US 4137 |
| 32   | Geoff Sobering                | US 5156 |
|      | Bjarne Soborg                 | D 133   |
|      | Sarunas Sodeika               | T 11    |
| 31   | Hakan Soderberg               | S 42    |
|      | Konrad Soltowski              | P6      |
|      | Hermann Sons                  | G 266   |
|      | Ernst Spaas                   | H 353   |
|      | Rolph Spaas                   | H 919   |
|      | Detlev Spitczok von Brisinski | G 654   |
|      | Aaron Stange                  | US 4480 |
|      | Alexander Starzl              | G 90    |
| 32   | Marek Artur Stefaniuk         | P 107   |
|      | Wladyslaw Stefanowicz         | P 69    |
|      | Al Stefanski                  | US 5084 |
|      | Gitta Steinhusen              | G 773   |
|      | Ingo Steinhusen               | G 625   |
| 42   | Patrik Stenberg               | S 726   |
|      |                               |         |

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|------|----------------------|---------|
|      | Jesper Strandberg    | D 265   |
|      | Bob Strohm           | US 1537 |
| 71   | Gunnar Stromberg     | S 596   |
|      | Bob Struble          | US 4055 |
|      | Matt Struble         | US 183  |
|      | David Stubits        | M 20    |
|      | Tim Sugar            | US 4893 |
| 51   | Jerker Sundstrom     | L 371   |
|      | Reko-Antti Suojanen  | L 112   |
| 36   | Jerzy Surkow         | P 345   |
| 79   | Per Owe Svensson     | S 788   |
| 56   | Piotr Szafranek      | P 96    |
| 25   | Adam Szczesny        | P 243   |
| 52   | Ryszard Szumowski    | P 134   |
|      | Tomasz Szumowski     | P 133   |
| 64   | Janusz Marek Taber   | P 44    |
| 25   | Jerzy Artur Taber    | P 74    |
| 8    | Karl-Hannes Tagu     | C 31    |
| 38   | Chris Teal           | US 5285 |
|      | Byron Tetzlaff       | US 5251 |
| 3    | James Thieler        | US 5224 |
|      | Bob Thiessen         | US 1854 |
|      | Alexander Timofeev   | R 16    |
| 35   | Johan Tolsma         | H 580   |
|      | Agu Tomingas         | СЗ      |
|      | Lars Orum Tosingevej | D 366   |
|      | Christian Transel    | Z 44    |
|      | Roland Travnicek     | OE 93   |
| 49   | Karl-Robert Trink    | C 44    |
| 27   | Peter Truesdell      | US 5350 |
| 74   | Jaroslav Tyle        | CZ 121  |
|      | Ants Uainsalu        | C 29    |
| 41   | Peter Uhlmann        | OE 213  |
|      | Michael Ulbrich      | US 1059 |
|      | Chester Upham        | US 5237 |
|      | Mark Upham           | US 3896 |
|      | Tadas Urmonas        | Т 77    |
|      | Valentin Uvarkin     | R 204   |
| 51   | Libor Vacula         | CZ 97   |
| 24   | Martin Vacula        | CZ 92   |

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|------|-----------------------|---------|
| 56   | Scott Valentine       | US 4925 |
|      | Hennie van den Brink  | H 313   |
| 89   | Lex van Helden        | H 877   |
|      | Peter van Klink       | H 461   |
| 72   | Eric van Komen        | Н 59    |
|      | Joost van Raay        | Н 720   |
| 16   | Dideric van Riemsdijk | H 467   |
| 45   | Peter van Rooij       | H 199   |
| 23   | Peter Van Rossem      | KC 2766 |
|      | Ruud van Wees         | H 469   |
|      | Martin van Wettum     | H 404   |
|      | Tonis Vare            | С5      |
| 27   | Oleg Vasilyev         | R1      |
|      | John Vendetti         | US 365  |
|      | Tom Verburgt          | US 5391 |
|      | Egbert Vincke         | G 224   |
| 23   | Nick Vitale           | US 1006 |
|      | Elmars Vitolins       | 012     |
|      | Karl Vogl             | OE 236  |
|      | Julien von Kaenel     | Z 77    |
| 7    | Argo Vooremaa         | C 36    |
| 2    | Vaiko Vooremaa        | C 6     |
|      | Karsten Voss          | G 709   |
|      | Victor Vostronosov    | R 38    |
|      | Daniel Vought         | US 3937 |
| 23   | Jean-Claude Vulthier  | Z 39    |
|      | Karlheinz Wallasch    | G 858   |
| 75   | Jacek Warso           | P 336   |
|      | Bernard Waser         | Z 26    |
|      | Steen Weber           | D 221   |
|      | Bruce Wegger          | US 5464 |
|      | Szabolcs Weores       | M 51    |
|      | Oscar Wersaell        | S 794   |
| 30   | Eben Whitcomb, III    | US 4775 |
|      | Wes Wilcox            | US 4783 |
|      | Chris Williams        | К1      |
|      | Donald Williams       | US 3909 |
| 11   | J.Bruce Williams      | US 3283 |
|      | Jan Winquist          | L 60    |
| 8    | John Winquist         | L 601   |

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|------|---------------------|---------|
|      | Wolfgang Woelbern   | G 605   |
| 21   | Worek Wojciech      | P 311   |
|      | Kazimierz Wojcik    | P 41    |
| 55   | Andryej Wojtkiewicz | P 15    |
|      | Mark Wolff          | KC 4190 |
| 17   | Dick Wollam         | US 4882 |
|      | Peter Woodruff      | US 406  |
|      | Patrick Zachary     | US 5245 |
|      | Joel Zakrzewski     | S 547   |
| 3    | Lukasz Zakrzewski   | P 155   |
| 3    | Tomasz Zakrzewski   | P 55    |
|      | Erik Zarins         | S 514   |
| 7    | Maciej Zarnowski    | P 338   |
|      | Bernd Zeiger        | G 107   |
|      | Kaspars Zilins      | 034     |
| 78   | Leszek Ziolkowski   | P 71    |
|      | Algirdas Zizys      | Т 99    |
|      | Jakub Zobac         | CZ 99   |
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